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been cleverly out maneuvered. to curtail the agenda so that only Joffe and Yanson, Russian dele-gates, bear credentials from the be settled.

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governments of both Soviet Russia and the Far Eastern Republic, thus compelling the Japanese delegates to negotiate with all Russia instead of with Soviet Russia and the Far Eastern Republic separately. The preliminary session was marked by heated arguments. The Japanese, being outgeneraled, took exception to the Russian method of diplomacy.

The Japanese delegates were

The Japanese delegates were spick and span in silk hats and morning coats and were considerably put out when the Russians showed up in sack suits with trousers that were obviously baggy at the knees. at the knees.

Forced to Deal With Both
Soviet and Far East State.

By International News Service.
CHANG-CHUN, Manchuria, Sept.
6.—The second session of the Russians issued a communique condemning the request of the Japanese to allow press correspondents to attend the session. Joffe said the Russian stood for open diplomacy on all subjects. ssue, convened today under a cloud for open diplomacy on all subjects. of hostility which boded ill for since the conference got under future results. The Japanese have way Japan has expressed a desire



High Wages and Short Hours, Says Hard.

By WILLIAM HARD. litan News Service Staff

Copyright, 1922, by Cosmopolitan New CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 6 .- Be neath all the news from New Eng-land, there is one deep current not enough noticed. This current flows

throughout the New England States. It is one of profound per plexity and anxiety regarding the whole future New Eng-

New England feels that it is facing a great historical moeminence in

try has been undetermined by new conditions. It fears that New Eng-land as an American workshop is in danger of a ruinous collapse. Having enjoyed industrial leadership t now fears industrial extinction.

The reasons given for these fears Higher freight rates have infore of power to the factories of New England in comparison with the cost for the Western factories built

Higher freight rates have also increased the cost of raw materials such as cotton, wool and steel to the factories of New England in com-parison with the cost for the Western and Southern factories built near

the sources of raw material.

The movement of the center of our population westward is continuously taking the center of our national buying market farther and farther away from New England.

These new conditions lead some essimists in New England to pre-

New England to save its life by the exercise of immediate drastic intelligence and energy. These optimistic observers and exhorters seem to tall into two classes. One class is crazy to cut wages. It believes that the only way to equalize the competition between a handicapped New England on the one hand and a runaway West and South on the other, is to cut New England's wages to the bare. which now in New Hampshire has lasted more than six months.

Meanwhile, a prophet of a different way of saving the prosper-ity of New England has arisen in the person of New Hampshire's well known Progressive former governor, Robert Bass. Mr. Bass opposes the cutting of wages and the lengthening of hours for the reason that such methods might drive New England's best workmen out to the better conditions of the Mississippi Valley. In place of a skinning of labor. Mr. Bass pro-poses a plan, which so closely fits the facts of the case that it per-haps can be regarded not only as a plan, but also as a safe prophecy. It gives a picture of what New England is going to do in order to keep its high place in this

There will be dams and direct power plants in all the numerous flowing streams of New England, and the New England manufacturers will be able to do a lot of waggling of their fingers at coal operators west of the Hudson. There will be great plantings of trees in New England's enormous waste places, and there will thus be a sure close

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source of raw material for the wood working industry which is a primary and gigantic industry. There will be a great deliberate public en-couragement of agriculture and of couragement of agriculture and of cheaper cooperative methods of distributing and selling agricultural products in order to reduce the cost of living in New England. There will be a great developing of technical education in order to produce the artisans whose skill in metal factories and in textile factories will counterbaiance the cost of carrying raw cotton and wool and steel all the way to New England. New England will give itself more and more to producing highly refined products through the labor of artisans, highly trained. Such is the picture and it seems likely shat New England will make some progress in living up to it, because it more or less has to live up to it in order to live. up to it in order to live.

60 ESCAPE FROM DINNER AS BUILDINGS COLLAPSE

NEWARK, N. J. Sept. 6.—Nearly 100 persons were endangered when two four-story brick buildings, 728 and 730 Broad street, settled sud-

dict that the manufacturers and workmen of New England will migrate in large numbers to the West, and that New England will be left to be a region noted only for its output of retired investors and intruding tourists.

Against this pessimism many other New Englanders rise up to summon New England to save ita life by the exercise of immediate drastic intelli-

cut New England's wages to the bare bone and also to lengthen New England's working hours. This explains the amazing bitterness and stubbornness, for instance, of the fight to reduce wages and lengthen hours in the textile mills of New Hampshire. the textile mills of New Hampshire Miller. - It was also learned that throughout the present textile strike. Mr. Woodin has agreed to serve. The governor's coal committee, which finished up its business today, will turn over all their data to Mr. Woodin.

TEETOTALERS POISONED

AT LONDON BANQUET LONDON, Sept. 6.—British pro-hibitionists received a jolt here when physicians investigated a sensational poison mystery, where fifty guests at a wedding breakfast became vid lently ill after eating lobster. The physicians found that all the men and women who drank wine and whiskey before eating the lob ster were not affected.

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